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In re the Application of

Ake SJOBERG et al

Serial No.: 10/725,932

Filed: December 3, 2003

For: A PROCESS FOR SEALING OF A JOINT

**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Further to the Preliminary Amendment of March 8, 2004, and prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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# AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

Applicant(s): Ake SJOBERG et al

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Invention:

A PROCESS FOR SEALING OF A JOINT

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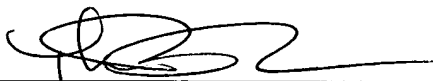
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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